IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of the claim will replace all prior versions and listings of claim in the present application.

Listing of Claims

(currently amended)An information processor comprising:
 a memory unit for storing multiple data;

an association attribute attaching unit for attaching common associations to for extracting data possessing a common word or term among the stored data as high frequency data and attaching common attributes to said extracted data; and

an analysis unit for analyzing said data,

wherein the analysis unit analyzes data with no associations attributes
which is low frequency data by using a negative word dictionary, and data
with associations is analyzed by different analysis.

(currently amended)An information processor according to claim
 comprising:

an input unit; and

a unit to search said database using a key word received by way of said input unit,

wherein said association attribute attaching unit attaches the associations attributes to the extracted retrieval result data.

(currently amended)An information processor according to claim
 wherein said input unit receives a specified count extracted in said a
 retrieval unit, and

wherein said analysis unit analyzes data possessing associations attributes extracted by a count larger than said count, and data possessing associations attributes extracted by a count smaller than said count, by a different analysis method.

4. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim1, wherein said negative dictionary comprises:

a first dictionary storing words in Chinese character units and a second dictionary for storing words containing said Chinese characters, and

wherein said analysis unit searches from said data for words stored in said first and said second dictionary and from words containing Chinese characters retrieved from said first dictionary displays words not in said second dictionary on said-a display unit, and from among said displayed words stores specified terms in said second dictionary.

5. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim2, wherein said negative dictionary comprises:

a first dictionary storing words in Chinese character units and a second dictionary storing words containing said Chinese characters, and

wherein said analysis unit searches from said data for words stored in said first and said second dictionary and from words containing Chinese characters retrieved from said first dictionary displays words not in said

second dictionary on said a display unit, and from among said displayed terms stores specified words in said second dictionary.

6. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim3, wherein said negative dictionary comprises:

a first dictionary storing words in Chinese character units and a second dictionary storing words containing said Chinese characters, and

wherein said analysis unit searches from said data for words stored in said first and said second dictionary and from words containing Chinese characters retrieved from said first dictionary displays words not in said second dictionary on said a display unit, and from among said displayed words stores specified words in said second dictionary.

7. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim1, further comprising:

a dictionary for storing words expressing modalities, wherein said analysis unit performs analysis using said dictionary.

8. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim2, further comprising:

a dictionary for storing words expressing modalities, wherein said analysis unit performs analysis using said dictionary.

9. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim2, comprising:

a unit to calculate the association level between a word and a word from said stored data;

a unit for extracting key terms from said stored data;

a unit for clustering said key term-terms using said information association attribute level and generating a thesaurus overview; and

a display unit for displaying said generated thesaurus overview,

wherein said display unit displays key terms belonging to clusters of the thesaurus overview selected by said input unit, and

key terms specified by said command input unit from said displayed key terms are set as said key words.

10. (currently amended)An information processor comprising: a first dictionary for storing words in Chinese character units; a second dictionary for restoring words containing said Chinese characters;

a display unit; and

an input unit,

wherein a search unit for searching for words stored in second dictionary from data recorded in a memory unit, and

wherein said search unit searches also for words containing Chinese characters stored in said first dictionary, and displays retrieved words containing Chinese characters stored in said first dictionary on a display unit, and stores words specified from among said displayed words into said second dictionary.

11. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim10, <u>further comprising:</u>

a third dictionary for accumulating words that are not specified.

12. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim10, wherein said first dictionary stores Chinese characters possessing anegative meaning, and

wherein said second dictionary stores words having a negative meaning.

13. (currently amended)An information processor according to claim11, wherein said first dictionary stores Chinese characters possessing anegative meaning, and

wherein said second dictionary stores words having a negative meaning.

- 14. (currently amended)A program comprisingstored on a storage medium that when executed causes a computer to perform:
 - a step for accepting the entry of a key word;
- a step for searching multiple data stored in a memory unit containing said multiple data by using a key word;
- a step for attaching a common association attribute to the extracted results of said search; and

a step for analyzing data not attached with <u>associations attributes</u> by using said negative word dictionary, and analyzing data attached with <u>associations attributes</u> using data that is not said negative word dictionary.